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THE OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., MARCH 27, 1890.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

THE OBSERVER is with the *Morning Star* for the abolition of the Electoral College. That institution has already outlived its usefulness, and has become "an excerescence upon the body politic." Away with it.

THE Trustees of the Baptist University, at the meeting of the board in Raleigh last Thursday, decided not to change the location of the institution, but to ask a subscription from Raleigh of $50,000 for buildings and equipment.

THE resignation of BISMARCK as Germany's premier cannot fail to greatly influence European politics. His retirement from the public arena will leave Germany in the condition of Shakspeare's "Hamlet with Hamlet left out."

WITH its proverbial slowness Philadelphia is just beginning to take the "grippe;" and, even now, it is said that this vigorous ailment is so much affected by the somnolent influences of that tranquil city that it is sometimes a week taking a good hold on one of the sleek, sedate Quakers.

BROOKLYN, even, is beginning to eye DE WITT TALMAGE askant, and to venture to wonder if, after all, the great man is not made out of rather cheap material. The everlasting display of the stereotyped wares of this American "Chadband" is commencing to clog on the public palate.

"The new tariff bill proposed will reduce the revenues $60,000,000, a year." So long as the Republicans are at the helm a tariff bill is not at all necessary to reduce the Treasury surplus; but fortunately for the country their days are numbered, for, if "coming events cast their shadows before" GROVER CLEVELAND will succeed HARRISON at the White House.

THE BLAIR bill is a "dead cock in the pit," the pledges and platforms of the Republican party to the contrary notwithstanding. While THE OBSERVER never espoused the cause of this obnoxious bill, yet we cannot refrain from noting the bad faith displayed by the members of the g.o.p. in passing the death sentence on a measure they were individually and collectively pledged to support.

HENRY WATTERSON, of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, has been giving the missionary subject some thought of late, and thinks "no State needs missionaries more than Pennsylvania, unless it is Illinois. No State can show a more degraded population than is found in certain sections of Pennsylvania. No State needs more than Pennsylvania the civilizing influences of Christianity. Let the good people of the whole country see what can be done by united effort to civilize, to humanize, to Americanize, the dark districts of Pennsylvania." To say the least of it, he speaks as though he knew.

WE cannot see that Durham's serenity should be at all disturbed by the recent letter in the Atlanta *Constitution*. That is a species of attack to which a community is as liable as an individual—anybody can inflict slander. North Carolina knows, and the world knows, that the beautiful little city of Durham has made itself by its pluck, energy and public spirit—and its breed of progressive men hasn't yet died out. Why, Greensboro has abandoned its ida of making itself the capital of the State—the objection having been suggested that when they got the capitol building as far as Durham those people would stop it right there.

MRS. WRIGHT, the traveling correspondent of the New York *World*, is about to "rope in" the people of Winston-Salem for $2,000,00. In exchange for this snug little sum the aforesaid correspondent proposes to write eight letters on Winston-Salem, and to boom the 4th of July celebration there this summer. We must confess to having entertained a better opinion of the wisdom of the business men of the Twin-City than to have bitten at such an empty bait. Some people, however, prefer to be humbugged. But how much better would have been the results had the two thousand dollars been divided among the *Daily, Republican* and *Sentinel*, and how much greater would have been the 4th of July celebration! "Consistency, thou art a jewel."

THE recent action of the United States Senate, in vainly endeavoring to punish newspaper reporters for publishing the proceedings of secret sessions of the higher branch of Congress, is a most disgraceful proceeding, a direct slap at the "freedom of speech and liberty of the press," is anti-American, undemocratic and smacks of autocracy with all of its infamy. U. S. Senators should call a halt, and bear in mind that they are the chosen servants of the people, and that the people, paying them well for their services, have a perfect right to know and demand a knowledge of their work so long as it is in the line of national legislation. Now, unless the members of this "august body" are impervious to ridicule and censure they must sooner or later see the folly and absurdity of their course and the hole into which they have gotten themselves with the Washington correspondents. The OBSERVER scorns such childish and undignified proceedings with a contempt that knows no bounds.

LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The new $10,000 court house at Carthage, Moore county, is nearing completion. ——The town of Oxford has assessed the two railroad companies having depots within the corporate limits an annual taxation—Oxford and Henderson $3,000, and the Oxford and Clarksville $6,000. ——Thomasville, a town of one thousand inhabitants, on the R. & D. R. R. between High Point and Salisbury was partially destroyed by fire last week. ——The trouble and excitement at Rocky Mount between the whites and blacks has abated. ——The latest slate in New York is Cleveland for President, Hill for U. S. Senate, Chapin for Governor. ——Fifty-six companies have been licensed so far this season to sell fertilizers. ——A trapper in Caswell county has caught eleven beavers so far this season. ——The dead bodies of two colored babies were found in the woods in Halifax. So says the Scotland Neck *Democrat*. ——One hundred thousand dollars worth of stock has been subscribed to the North Carolina Iron and Steel Company at Greensboro. ——A syndicate has been formed to buy up from 30,000 to 50,000 acres of land in Montgomery county upon which to place a Germany colony. ——Prince Bismarck, in tendering his resignation to the Emperor, alleged that old age and failing health were his reasons for desiring to withdraw from public life; it is said that Count Von Caprivi, of the Eighth Army Corps, has been appointed to succeed Prince Bismarck. ——The Florida Southern Railroad has been placed in the hands of a receiver. ——Secretary Tracy made a thorough inspection of the Norfolk navy yard on the 20th. An additional expenditure of $50,000 has been authorized by Secretary Proctor for the protection of the Mississippi river levees, making the total allotment $170,000. ——The President has gone on another duck shooting excursion on Chesapeake bay. ——Gen. Von Caprivi, the new German Chancellor, has also been appointed President of the Prussian Ministry. ——Count Herbert Bismarck persists in resigning his post of Imperial Foreign Minister. ——The strike of dock laborers in Liverpool is practically ended. ——The strike of English coal miners is causing a great stagnation in many branches of industry; many mills have been compelled to close; some of the mine owners have acceded to the demands made by the strikers. ——Sullivan, the pugilist, is released on bond in Mississippi. ——A bill has been introduced to put the election of Congressmen in the hands of the government. ——Mr. J. B Duke, President of the American Tobacco Company, gets a salary of $50,000 per year. ——Charlotte will have a grand 20th of May celebration this year. ——The Mississippi valley has been submerged in some places. ——It is reported that Clarkson, First Assistant Postmaster General, has resigned. —Senator Voorhees will defend Kincaid in the coming trial. ——Congressman McClammy from this district made a strong speech against the land-tax bill in Congress last week. ——A twelve-year-old boy accidently shot his mother at Hot Springs. ——The Fentress gold mine near High Point will soon be running in full blast. ——An English Money-Loaning Syndicate has established an office in Charlotte. ——Rev. A. R. Shaw, of Carthage, has been called to the pastorate of the new Presbyterian Church at Charlotte. ——Rev. Wm. V. Tudor, D D., pastor of Granby Street Church, Norfolk, Va. will preach the commencement sermon at Trinity College, ——Bulgaria declares herself to have thrown off the Turkish yoke. ——Ex-Senator Wallace and ex-Governor Patttison are struggling for the Democratic Gubernational nomination of Pennsylvania ——The C. C. Randleman cotton mills, of Randleman, are to be enlarged. ——Forty-two counties of North Carolina have the no-fence law. ——The average elevation of the State above the sea-level is 600 feet. ——The railroads of the State are estimated as worth $10,000,000 to $12,000,000. ——The Baptist denomination in this State gives upwards of $30,000 annually to benevolent purposes. ——The Wilson *Advance* says at least five thousand acres of tobacco will be planted in that county this year. ——The Pittsburg *Times* thinks that Western North Carolina will become the greatest centre of this continent. ——Several townships of Guilford county will adopt the Mecklenburg road law. ——A munificent gift of $500,000 has been given by Bluffton, Ala., to the Methodist Episcopal Church, for the location of an educational institution to be known as the University of Southland; the building will cost $1,500,000 when finished. ——A man who two years ago defrauded some Kentucky farmers by buying stock and paying for it with bogus checks was lynched by a mob of twenty men. ——Dr. M. A. Rust, an old and prominent German physician of Richmond, Va., fell from a ladder and was instantly killed. ——A disastrous fire occurred in Jacksonville, Florida, on the 19th inst.; it leaped from building to building with the greatest rapidity, and many of the sleeping inmates had hardly time to escape in their night clothing; the aggregate loss is estimated at $125,000. ——Rev. R. G. Pearson has about entirely recovered from his recent attack of typhoid fever. ——The first engine for the W., O. & E. C. R. R. has arrived in Wilmington. ——Governor Gordon, of Georgia, will be commencement orator at Davidson College. ——A cow near New Berne gave birth to three calves recently. All were well developed. ——The contract for grading the Onslow & Burgaw Railroad has been let to a Tennessee Construction Company, and work will begin in a short time. ——Six million seven hundred and nine thousand five hundred and fifteen bales of cotton came into sight up to March 1st, and of that quantity there were exported 4,025,000 bales. ——At present there are sixty Y. M. C. Associations in this State. ——Twelve hundred disabled Confederate soldiers draw pensions in this State, and two thousand eight hundred widows. ——A falling wall in Indianapolis killed a dozen men. ——A man was cut in two lengthwise by a saw in Mississippi. ——Chinese laundrymen in New York are almost forced by the American laundrymen to give up the business. ——Belva Lockwood, a lady of the masculine gender, has announced that she will run for the Presidency in 1892.

The Old White House.

On the south side of Market street, Philadelphia, between 5th and 6th streets, there stood until a few years ago one of the most interesting buildings in America. In 1772 Richard Penn, great-great-grandson of William Penn, was the owner of this house in right of his wife, and lived there in a style of considerable magnificence. When the British army entered Philadelphia in 1777 the best house in town was selected for the headquarters of General Howe. So there in the High (Market) street mansion the commander-in-chief of the British troops lived in state. The general is described as being of "fine figure, fully six feet high and well proportioned—in appearance not unlike his antagonist, General Washington." The British troops lived in a state of relaxed discipline, and Franklin remarked: "General Howe has not taken Philadelphia—Philadelphia has taken General Howe."

Benedict Arnold succeeded General Howe as an occupant of this celebrated mansion. He had been appointed to the command of the militia at Bristol and on every part of the Delaware river east of Bristol. Arnold was obliged to use very questionable means in order to maintain his extravagant style of living while there. In 1780 he was court martialed for grave misdemeanors, and was condemned to be reprimanded by the commander-in-chief—a disgrace which he bitterly resented and never forgot. Arnold soon afterward left Philadelphia forever. He was succeeded in the occupancy of the house by the consul-general of France, during whose residence the building was injured by fire.

Robert Morris, the patriot financier of the Revolution, caused the mansion to be rebuilt, and obtained a lease of the same. He lived there until the removal of the seat of government from New York to Philadelphia, when it became necessary to find a residence for the President suitable to his position. No house could be found more fitting for this purpose than that occupied by Robert Morris, who willingly removed his family that Washington might be properly accommodated.

The first levee in Philadelphia of the first President of the United States was held in this house on Christmas day, 1790. It was attended by the most fashionable people of the city, and is described by Mrs. Adams, wife of the then Vice-President, as brilliant beyond anything that could be imagined. The President held his receptions on the afternoon of every other Tuesday, between 3 and 4 o'clock, when all respectable citizens and strangers were received. When the President received his visitors he was surrounded by the members of his Cabinet. He hair was powdered and gathered in a silk bag behind, and he wore coat and breeches of plain black velvet, with a pearl-colored vest, silver knee- and shoe-buckles, yellow gloves, a cocked hat in his hand and a long sword by his side. He received each person with a grave bow, but never shook hands. At a quarter past 3 o'clock the door of the room was closed, and the President addressed a few words to each guest. When this ceremony was over each visitor approached him, bowed and retired, and the ceremony was ended.

Washington was very sociable with the guests on the occasion of Mrs. Washington's receptions. At such times he wore the costume of a private gentleman, and was especially agreeable to the ladies, who seized this the only opportunity they had of conversing with him.

The Stitches in a Shirt.

The following singular calculation of the number of stitches in a plain shirt has been made by a Leicester seamstress: Stitches in collar, four rows, 3,000; cross ends of the same, 500; button-holes and buttons, 150; gathering neck and sewing on collar. 1,204; stitching wristbands, 1,228; end of wristbands, 68; button-holes in wristbands, 148; hemming slits, 264; gathering sleeves, 840; setting on wristbands, 1,448; stitching on shoulder-straps, 1,880; hemming the bosom, 393; sewing in sleeves and making gussets, 3,050; sewing up side seams of sleeves, 2,554; cording bosom, 1,104; "tapping" the sleeves, 1,526; sewing all other seams, and setting side gussets, 1,272—total number of stitches, 20,649.

Asheville's Big Hotel.

It is stated that the Southern Land and Improvement Company will this spring begin the erection of a magnificent hotel on its property near that city, the tract embracing twenty-seven acres. The hotel, which will be built after the most improved modern style, will contain 600 rooms. The grounds will be enclosed by a stone wall 6 feet high, with electric lights suspended at intervals of 30 feet.

These are all the details yet developed, but they are sufficient to give some idea of the grandeur of the proposed building, which will be a great accession to the progressive mountain city.

The Blood Orange.

The blood orange is a mere variety of the sweet orange, obtained by cultivation, and appears to have been first raised by the Spanish gardeners in the Phillippine Islands. On its first appearance in Europe it excited considerable sensation, and in the last century very high prices were demanded for the tree which bore the wonderful fruit. It was for a long time supposed—and, indeed, the idea is not yet quite extinct—that blood oranges were produced by grafting upon the pomegranate, but there is no foundation for such a belief.

An Arabian Delicacy.

The Arabs, when there is a famine, grind locusts in their hand mills or pound them in mortars, and mix with flour and water into a dough, which they bake as ordinary bread. But they not only employ locusts during a scarcity of corn but at other times eat them as a delicacy. They boil them for a good while in water, and afterward stew them with butter into a kind of fricasse of good flavor.

Baseball Days.

Baseball days are growing nigher; soon the school-boy falsifier will "hookey" play, and see each game—the sly, deceiving fellow; the while the sun upon each feature to a nice brown will tan the creature; but when dad tans him he'll make the truant yell—"oh!"

Bacon—Is your hotel fire-proof?

Egbert—I reckon it is. I've never found a fire in my room yet.

The Shepherd's Dog—A Lost Child.

New York Ledger.

A shepherd who inhabited one of those valleys or glens which intersect the Grampian Mountains, in one of his excursions to look after his flock, happened to carry along with him one of his children, a boy three years old. This is not an unusual practice among the Highlanders, who accustom their children, from the earliest infancy, to endure the rigors of the climate. After traversing his pastures for some time, attended by his dog, the shepherd found himself under the necessity of ascending a summit at some distance, to have a more extensive view of his range. As the ascent was too fatiguing for the child, he left him on a small plain at the bottom, with strict injunctions not to stir from it till his return. Scarcely, however, had he gained the summit, when the horizon was darkened by one of those impenetrable mists which frequently descend so rapidly amidst these mountains as, in the space of a few minutes, almost to turn day to night.

The anxious father instantly hastened back to find his child, but, to his own trepidation, unfortunately missed his way in the descent. After a fruitless search of many hours, he discovered that he had reached the bottom of the valley, and was near his own cottage. To renew the search that night was equally fruitless and dangerous; he was therefore compelled to go home, although he had lost both his child and his dog, who had attended him faithfully for many years.

Next morning, by break of day, the shepherd, accompanied by a band of his neighbors, set out in search of his child; but, after a day spent in fruitless fatigue, he was at last compelled to descend from the mountains. On his returning home to his cottage, he found that his dog, which he had lost the day before, had been home, and, on receiving a piece of cake, and gone off again. For several successive days the shepherd renewed his search for his child, and still, on returning home disappointed in the evening, he found that the dog had been home, and, on receiving his usual allowance of cake, had instantly disappeared. Struck with these singular circumstances, he remained at home one day, and when the dog, as usual, departed with his usual piece of cake, he resolved to follow him, and find out the procedure. The dog led the way to a cataract at some distance from the spot where the shepherd had left his child. The banks of the cataract almost joined at the top, yet, separated by an abyss of immense depth, presented that appearance which so often astonishes and appals the travelers that frequent the Grampian Mountains.

Down one of those rugged and almost perpendicular descents the dog began, without hesitation, to make his way, at last disappearing by entering a cave, the mouth of which was almost level with the torrent. The shepherd with difficulty followed, but, on entering the cave, what were his emotions when he beheld his boy eating with much satisfaction the cake which the dog had just brought him, while the faithful animal stood by, eyeing his young charge with the utmost complacence. From the situation in which the child was found, it appeared that he had wandered to the brink of the precipice, and then had either fallen or scrambled down till he reached the cave. The dog, by means of his scent, had traced him to the spot, and afterwards prevented him from starving by giving up to him his own daily allowance.

A Little Fun at Home.

Do not be afraid of a little fun at home. Do not shut up your house lest the sun should fade your carpets, and your hearts, lest a laugh should shake down a few of the musty old cobwebs that are hanging there. If you want to ruin your sons, let them think that all mirth and social enjoyment must be left at the threshold without when they come home at night. When once a home is regarded as only a place to eat, drink and sleep in, the work is begun that ends in gambling houses and reckless degradation. Young people must have fun and relaxation; if they do not find it at their own hearthstones they will seek it at less profitable places. Therefore, let the doors and windows be cheerfully thrown open in summer, and make the home delightful with all those little arts parents so well understand. Do not repress the buoyant spirits of your children. Half an hour of merriment within doors, and merriment of a home, blots out the remembrance of many a care and annoyance during the day; and the best safeguard they can take with them into the world is the influence of a bright home.

Light and Health.

Health.]

Most persons would say that the outside light is two or three times as strong as that within our houses. But the ratio of difference is vastly greater. Carefully prepared tables show that for a view at the seashore, comprising sea and sky mainly (with a lens and plate of a certain speed) an exposure of one-tenth of a second is sufficient. An open landscape away from the sea would, with the same lens, the same aperture, and the same plate, require one-third of a second. A fairly lighted interior would require two and a half minutes, while a badly lighted interior, such as rooms which most ladies prefer to occupy, would require half an hour to obtain an equally good picture. In other words, patients strolling on the seashore in sunny weather are in a light not two or three times but eighteen thousand times stronger than that in the ordinary shaded and curtained rooms of a city house; and the same patients walking along the sunny side of a street are receiving more than five thousand times as much of the health-giving influence of light as they would receive indoors in the usually heavy curtained rooms.

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Friendship is true in proportion as the tenderness which underlies it is unselfish. He who measures our feelings, exacting a full return for all he gives, jealous of what he deems his due, craving some beloved object for his own pleasure, and resenting other claims upon it, is not worthy of the name of friend. The true friend is ever generous, pouring out his love without measure or stint, and finding his chief delight in the benefit or pleasure of loved ones, for which end he is ever willing to strive earnestly, though he may not share in the results.

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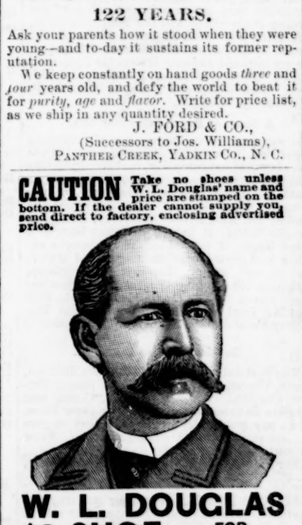
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December 12, 1889.

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Dec. 19, 1889. tf

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....MARCH 27, 1890.

THE WORK OF FOUR CENTURIES.

If we might imagine Columbus recalled to mortal life from the company of the earth's great men of the past, to witness the ceremonies attending the international celebration of that which has linked his name with the imperishable treasures of history, doubtless there would be much to amaze the devout old Genoese, and thrill the soul of the discoverer. We doubt that much sympathy would be expended over the melancholy fate of the people whose wondering eyes first caught the white sails of his ships and the glistening folds of the splendid banner of Spain. To him they were the *Indians* of the Orient, for he died without knowing that he had pressed the soil of a new world. The extermination of a race would count for little in the ethics of Columbus: rapacious, bigoted and cruel, the Spanish adventurer was the pioneer of civilization over a path strewn with the wrecks of rapine and the sacrifices of blood; whether despoiling the palaces of the Incas or lording it in the halls of the Aztecs, his was the touch of the mailed hand, his footstep the print of the iron heel—and even his gracious mistress, Isabella, bore the crucifix in one hand and the sword or the torch in the other, while she desolated the rich *vegas* of Granada "in defense of the true faith."

Four centuries are but a few days in the life of nations, but marvelous have been "time's revenges" and the mutations of fate since Columbus was a beggar at the courts of Europe in behalf of human progress, and scouted as a visionary—or, as he would be called in our day, a "crank." Spain, then almost the mistress of the world, must live in the glories of the past to escape the degradation of the present; Portugal, then a nation of hardy navigators, whose skill and prowess added honor to their name and rich territory to their possessions, has to-day hardly a voice in the world's doings; France, emerging from the ignorance and superstition of the reigns of Louis XI and XII, presented the successive pictures of the longest unbroken rule of folly, vanity and extravagance that ever amazed and startled mankind, the most sanguinary revolution that ever upreared its bloody crest in the name of liberty, a military genius whose achievements his fellow-men even yet look upon with dazzled eyes, a crowned impostor whose extraordinary character finds no parallel in ancient or modern annals, a war which shattered at a blow the daring ambition of Bourbon and Bonapartist—and, last, a republic of sturdy growth, springing out of the very hot-bed of the effete monarchies of the Old World; the throne of England, in that day occupied by Henry VII, whose avarice had at least the merit of aiding in the aggrandizement of his common country, is now graced by the person of a queen who is greedy simply for the groveling pleasure of "putting money in her purse," and who has so impressed the character of her people with her own narrow individuality that they stand as models of selfishness among the nations of the earth.

If the canonized Christopher could visit us during the World's Fair he would, in ordinary *parlance*, "find much to amuse and instruct." He would behold a people, such apt scholars in the lessons gathered in the art centres of the Continent that the architecture of their public and private buildings surpasses the grandest conceptions of their exemplars; whose once trackless wilds have developed mountains grander than the Alps and rivers more beautiful than the Rhine or Danube, but whose energy finds no mountain-chain too great to tunnel, no streams too broad to bridge; whose public revenues are so vast and accumulative that the high-ways and by-ways are scoured to find soldiers for pensions, and the wealth of whose private individuals is so enormous that these sybarites spend fortunes on the furnishing of a single room or the setting forth of a single entertainment, and who travel from ocean to ocean in moving palaces of luxury and cost—a people, too, who have forgotten that their ancestors fought their battles from a love of independence, who are supinely drifting toward centralization, with whom it is the fashion to sneer at the Constitution under the benign shelter of which their country has grown, and who, with another generation of deterioration, will be fit for naught but the sloth and sycophancy of a paternal government. What will the next hundred years bring forth?

WILSON & FAYETTEVILLE R.R. EXTENSION.

A special train on the Wilson Short-Cut R. R. brought to the city on Tuesday evening Capt. Jno. F. Divine, Gen'l Sup't of the Atlantic Coast Line, Capt. B. R. Dunn, Engineer, and Mr. M. W. Divine, Asst. Engineer, of Roadway, Mr. W. W. Holliday, chief of the clerical force, and Mr. Crosswell, Sup't of the Southern Express Company.

We are to indulge the gratifying hope that this welcome visit of prominent officials means speedy arrangements for the extension south of the Fayetteville and Wilson branch of the road, for it is authoritatively stated that work will commence between the 10th and 15th proximo.

Visible Supply of Cotton.

NEW YORK, March 22.—The total visible supply of cotton for the world is 2,722,223 bales, of which 2,095,623 bales are American, against 3,562,448 and 2,002,748 bales, respectively, last year. Receipts at all interior towns 20,822; receipts at the plantations 17,357; crop in sight 6,797,831 bales.

ISSUES OF THE DAY.

THE Charlotte correspondent of—well, anywhere and everywhere has been indulging in some vaticinations as to the political outlook in North Carolina. It is needless to say that he only occasionally stumbles upon the truth, and a good way to size up the value of his article would be to treat it as the old farmer did the almanac: he read it carefully, and whenever it predicted rain he laid his plans for fair weather.

P. T. BARNUM once told a newspaper man, confidentially (that's how we came to hear of it), that he owed his remarkable success and the accumulation of his large fortune to a discovery which he had made in early life with regard to the American people: that they delighted, above all things, in being humbugged, provided they were made to pay for it. The New York *World* liberally avails itself of the wisdom of the veteran showman's open secret—especially the *paying* clause—and occasionally finds its harvest even amongst the old-fashioned people down this way. The great metropolitan daily sends a messenger of good tidings to the people of Winston, offering to boost them high up in the niche of fame, and inscribe them deep upon the pages of immortality, at the rate of $75 a column or thereabout. Notwithstanding its large circulation, it would be difficult to select a newspaper where the benefit would be so small in proportion to the price paid. Its persistent sensationalism and utter untrustworthiness throw a cloud about all the matter of its pages; and a Winston "boom," announced through the columns of the *World*, would be received with a great many grains of allowance.

A SUGGESTION.

First Steps in the Direction of Holding a Convention of the Lumbermen of this State at Fayetteville.

MESSRS EDS:—The purpose of this communication is to suggest some means of attracting attention to Fayetteville as the centre of wood manufacturing of all kinds. No other town in the State is situated as is this with reference to the natural growth of trees of like variety and utility, for it lies between the high and rolling sandhills with their indigenous forests of pine and dogwood principally, and the low-lying lands near the rivers with their varied, manifold and characteristic *flora*. Within easy distance are situated vast forests of pine, oak, dogwood, maple, poplar, sweet-gum, walnut, ash, cypress and juniper, etc. —in fact, all kinds of useful trees in great quantities, except the hickory.

These natural products of the forests have not hitherto been made available, and the only reason is that their variety, quantity and accessibility have been unknown to the outside world. It is true that the pine lumber industry has been worked largely and successfully, there being at present about one hundred mills between Greensboro and Maxton on the line of our railway, and that very recently cypress and juniper are being manufactured in large quantities into shingles and buckets, but this is only the beginning of like industries of other woods of equal availability and profit, if attention can be attracted to this section and this town as being peculiarly adapted for these branches of manufacture.

Public attention has been drawn to other towns in the State by reason of some especial advantages—for instance, to Durham as the great smoking tobacco mart; to Winston as the centre of plug tobacco manufacturing; to Asheville as a famous health resort; to Greensboro as the future site of the great steel works, etc.; and now why cannot Fayetteville with its facilities of forwarding freights, and the surrounding country with its natural advantages of field and forest, be known far and wide as the centre of manufacturing enterprises engaged in the development of the various woods which are so abundant in this section? To those who are incredulous or ignorant of the natural resources of our immediate vicinity in this respect, I would refer them to "Hale's Handbook," and they will be amazed at the exhibit there made as to the quantity, quality and variety of the native woods of Cumberland county.

But how can public attention be attracted to these natural advantages that lie all unimproved at our very doors? As a mere suggestion, I offer the following:

Let the lumbermen of this section, who, by longer experience, are more united in their business interests, at some early date call a convention in this town for their mutual benefit and protection. Such a convention was recently held in Georgia, and great good accrued to all concerned. To this convention let all those engaged in wood manufacturing in this section be likewise invited. On some appointed day during its sessions there should be a grand banquet given, and to this should be invited Northern representatives of wood manufacturing enterprises and other capitalists who would appreciate the opportunity thus offered for personal investigation and intercourse with the local interests here represented. This, together with an exposition or display of native woods, both in the crude and perfected forms, would add novelty to the occasion and enhance its interest.

The manufacturing journals would gladly give the occasion prominence, and the result would be that our section would be thoroughly advertised as the centre of these industries, and one step forward in the development of our timber resources would have been accomplished.

We are an essentially modest people, and slow to proclaim the wealth of our resources to the world, but shall we stand idle and see the tide of immigration to the South flow in other directions, and say not a word?

It is high time that we extend the field of our operations, and take advantage of the opportunities that lie within our reach of diversifying our industries and increasing our wealth. Our fields, on the one hand, are in many instances poor and unremunerative, our farming interests paralyzed and prostrate, while on the other, our forests are vast and all but limitless in the extent and variety of their natural growths. The timber supply of the Northwest is about exhausted, and capital is awaiting new outlets for investment in manufacturing enterprises. Then, why not seek aid in the development of our great natural resources?

This is a mere suggestion, as I said above; but, having the good of our town and country at heart, I would urge the expediency of some such action upon the manufacturing interests already engaged in our midst and upon the landed proprietors of this, our favored section.

Let us have a wood manufacturers' convention, together with an exposition of our native woods. What say you? J. A. H.

Fayetteville, March 25, 1890.

Col. John D. Cameron on Prof. Moses' Manifesto.

Asheville Citizen.]

We share with the Fayetteville OBSERVER the indignation excited by the letter of Prof. Moses to Senator Blair to aid him with facts and arguments in support of his educational bill. The Professor was at the head of the graded schools at Goldsboro, and is now in charge of those at Raleigh. He is a Tennessean. He is one of those birds who befouls his own nest: he defames the State which gave him birth, and insults that which gives him a livelihood. We make only two extracts, but they indicate the temper of the whole letter. He says: "The teachers of the public schools Tennessee and North Carolina, as a general rule, are not only destitute of the slightest suspicion of culture, but to a great extent ignorant even of a knowledge of the common school branches."

And again he says: "I believe it can be said without fear of any successful contradiction that there are no two States upon the face of the earth in the hands of a Protestant people whose schools are in a more horrible condition than the schools of Tennessee and North Carolina."

These atrocious statements are made to strengthen the hands of Senator Blair, by furnishing him with arguments for the necessity of passing his educational bill. These statements are true, or they are false. If they are true, they impugn our whole educational system, the wisdom of those who devised it, the integrity of those who direct it, the intelligence of those who conduct it, the judgment of the people who contribute to its support. If they are false—and they are false—then Prof. Moses should be held to account for giving his official sanction to charges which condemn the department to which he belongs, and defame the people in whose behalf he affects to plead.

Senator Blair is unfortunate in himself and in the agencies he invokes to his help. He has talked to death the cause he has in hand, and he has discredited it by the introduction of false witnesses. He deserves his fate.

The Blair Bill Goes to the Wall, Once for All.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Blair educational bill was defeated to day by a vote of 37 to 32.

Mr. Blair changed his vote to the negative in order to move a reconsideration. The vote was as follows: Ayes—Republicans: Messrs. Allen, Allison, Chandler, Callom, Dawes, Dolph, Edmunds, Evarts, Higgins, Hoar, McMillan, Manderson, Mitchell, Moody, Morrill, Pettigrew, Platt, Squire, Stanford, Stewart, Stockridge, Teller, Wilson, of Iowa; Democrats: Barbour, Colquitt, Daniel, George, Hampton, Hearst, Pasco, Pugh—31.

Nays—Republicans: Aldrich, Blair, Davis, Dixon, Farwell, Frye, Hale, Hawley, Hiscock, Ingalls, Jones, of Nevada, Pierce, Plumb, Sawyer, Sherman, Spooner, Wolcot. Democrats: Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Blodgett, Cockrell, Coke, Faulkner, Gorman, Gray, Harriss, Jones, of Arkansas, Kenna, Morgan, Payne, Reagan, Turpie, Vest, Voorhees, Waltham and Wilson, of Missouri—37.

The following pairs were announced: Messrs. Butler, Vance, Paddock, Casey, Gibson, Brown and Call, who were for the bill; with Messrs. Quay, McPherson, Eustis, Ransom, Washburn, Beck and Cameron, who were opposed to it.

Mr. Blair entered a motion to reconsider the vote.

[Senator Ransom is incorrectly reported, as, by his own statement, he favored the Blair bill.—EDS. OBS.]

TOURISTS,

Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and $1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

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This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and oust the demon Dyspepsia and install instead Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c. and $1.00 per bottle by B. E. Sedberry, Druggist.

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Flunkeyism Unadulterate!

For the Observer.]

The crowning feat of the administration! This time the "little man in the big hat" brings down a red-head duck instead of a porcine coon, and straightway half a column of a metropolitan daily, with double-leaded inter-lines, chronicles the startling event! Prodigious!

Good Lord, deliver us from such flap-doodle, sycophantic journalism! It beats "Cock Robin's" or "Master Sparrow's" historical performance all hollow. Unless, like the chronicler of the last, he is writing for the nursery, why couldn't the fool have said, *in totis verbis*, "the President got into a 'blind,' and killed a duck?" It is more than doubtful whether, if the Empress of India had with her own dumpy hands laid low a royal Bengal tiger in one of her jungles, the event would have been recorded by the attendant "Jenkins" in more diffuse verbiage, or with half the ipecacan effect.

Nimrods there have been in the White House before the days of Benny. Notably, George Washington and Andrew Jackson were rough riders, and followed the hounds; but it is safe to say that both would have forsworn field sports if every time a fox was "tailed," or a buck or bear brought to pot by their well-known aim, the reading world must needs be regaled with the startling performance in such grandiloquent style. But they were men, and lived in an age of men, and loathed bombastic toadies—but that was in the halcyon days of republican simplicity.

"When 'Louis le Grand' shoots a pheasant or a tame stag all Versailles goes into ecstacies." History repeats itself.

W. J. G.

AUSTIN, TEX., August 24th, 1887.

This is to certify that my son Fred has been troubled with catarrh for the past two years, and, after using William Radam's Microbe Killer three weeks, I think he is entirely cured. I can see no bad effects of it upon my son

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RALEIGH, N. C., August 14, 1889.

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N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	75
Hog Round,	7	HIDES—	
Sides,	7	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	11	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	6	Green,	3
Shoulders,	5	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	6½	Swedes,	5 @ 6
Hams,	16	LARD—	
Shoulders,	8½	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	11½ @ 13	Western,	9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	35 @ 40
Dressed,	5 @ 6	Sole, Hemlock,	25 @ 27
BEESWAX,	18	Harness, c'ntry,	25 @ 30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25 @ 40
North Carolina,	20 @ 22	NAILS—	
Northern,	25 @ 35	(124 basis),	2.60
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	25	Fresh,	5 @ 6
Rio,	20 @ 25	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85 @ 95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	1.25	Sweet—new,	60
CHICKENS,	20 @ 25	Irish—o	1.00
EGGS	11	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	3.50	Coffee,	7
West. Fam.,	5.00 @ 6.00	Granulated,	9
CORN MEAL—	60	SHEETINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	50
Corn—new,	50	TALLOW,	5
Oats,	40	WOOL,	18
Rye,	90	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	75	Corn Whisky,	1.75 @ 2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75 @ 3.00
N. Carolina,	40 @ 60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75 @ 3.00
Northern,	1 00	Pch Brandy,	1.75 @ 3.00

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Turpentine, $1.30 to $2.30 per barrel

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 37 cents

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Tar $1.05.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 26, 4:00 P. M.

COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 10⅞ cents for Middling.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 39 cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 1 10 cents per bbl. for Strained and $1.15 for Good Strained.

TAR—Firm $1.30.

TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $2.20 for Virgin and Yellow dip and $1.20 for Hard.

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Sick.
Got the grippe?
No. I'll tell you what's the matter.
I bought nearly all the goods I wanted before I went to the Racket Store, and now I find I could have saved at least 25 cents on every dollar if I had gone there first, and it makes me tired.
That is what I told you, Eli; always try the Racket Store first. *Don't forget it, or you will be sick again.*

We are opening a large lot of NEW SPRING GOODS this week, just picked up by our New York partner at a GREAT BARGAIN.
Chambrays, Ginghams, Simpson's Zephyr Prints (best.)
Laces, Ribbons, Embroidery, India Linen and Lawns.
Plain, Checked and Striped Nainsooks, Victoria Lawns.

Also two cases of that 10c. Bleached Shirting which we propose to sell out at 8c.

40 inch Lace Striped Apron Lawn, 8½c. up.
Trunks and Valises. Be sure to call and see our Saratoga Zinc Covered Trunk, only $2.69, and the cheapest line of SHOES ever brought to this market,

AT THE RACKET STORE.

March 20, 1890.

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

346 & 348 Broadway, New York.

SUMMARY OF FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

January 1, 1890.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.	
Premiums	$24,585,921.10
Interest, Rents, etc.,	4,577,345.14
Total Income,	$29,163,266.24
DISBURSEMENT ACCOUNT.	
Death-claims and Endowments,	$6,252,095.50
Dividends, Annuities and Purchased Insurances,	5,869,026.16
Total to Policy-holders,	$12,121,121 66
New Policies Issued,	39,499
New Insurance Written,	$151,119,088.00
CONDITION JANUARY 1, 1890.	
Assets,	$105,053,600.96
*Divisible Surplus, Company's New Standard,	$7,517,823.28
†Tontine "	7,705,053.11
Surplus, by State Standard, (4 per cent.)	$15,600,000.00
Policies in Force,	150,381
Insurance in Force,	$495,601,970.00
PROGRESS IN 1889.	
Increase in Interest,	$303,653.06
Increase in Benefits to Policy-holders,	1,148,051.61
Increase of Surplus for Dividends,	1,716,849.01
Increase in Premiums,	3,458,330 35
Increase in Total Income,	3,761,983.41
Increase in Assets,	11,573,414.41
Increase in Insurance Written,	26,099,357.00
Increase in Insurance in Force,	75,715,465.00

* Exclusive of the amount specially reserved as a contingent liability to Tontine Dividend Fund.
† Over and above a 4 per cent. reserve on existing policies of that class.

WILLIAM H. BEERS, President.

HENRY TUCK, Vice-President. RUFUS W. WEEKS, Actuary.
ARCH. H. WELCH, 2nd Vice-President. THEODORE M. BANTA, Cashier.
A. HUNTINGTON, M. D., Medical Director.

CHURCH & LANE, General Agents, Charlotte, N. C.

Tontine Policies in THE NEW YORK LIFE have returned *all premiums paid* with 4 to 5¼ per cent. interest after an insurance of 15 years. Write the Agent for results on Policies, stating your age.

H. I. McDUFFIE, Special Agent, Fayetteville, N. C.

March 6, 1890. 1m

We have just received a large assortment



OF BABY CARRIAGES,

which we are offering at figures heretofore unheard of in Fayetteville.

See us before purchasing, and we will save you money.

P. S.—We have the latest designs in best quality 6-4 Table Oil Cloth—only 50 cents per yard.

S. SHEETZ & SONS.

—THE—

Bank : of : Fayetteville,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

Does - a - General - Banking - Business.

RECEIVES DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK,

Collects Notes and Drafts

Payable here and at all Banking Points in North Carolina,

AT REASONABLE CHARGES,

and remits promptly for all collections.

CAPITAL STOCK, - - $300,000.00.

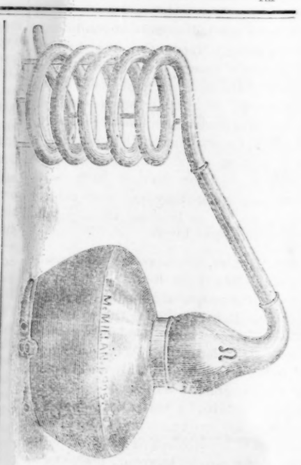
☞No deposits received on interest.

J. D. WILLIAMS, Pres.,
H. W. LILLY, Vice Pres.,
J. C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.
Fayetteville, N. C., October 8, 1889.—[1y

Littleton Female College.

Littleton Female College is in a highly prosperous condition and is one of the most successful schools in the State. It has a splendid location, a strong Faculty and is doing very thorough work. The Spring Term begins January 29, 1890.

Jan'y 16, 1890. tf



McMILLAN BROS.,

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

Turpentine Stills.

WE HAVE ON HAND TWENTY-FIVE

STILLS,

New and second-hand, from 10 to 40 barrels capacity, which we offer at close figures. Still bottoms—all sizes. Parties wanting work in this line for prompt delivery should call on or address us.

Still Doors, Grate Bars.

☞Repairing through the country a specialty.

☞Old Stills bought or taken in exchange for new ones.

McMILLAN BROS.,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
Feb'y 27, 1890. or Savannah, Ga.

Sunnyside Floral Nursery

Spring, 1890.

We have strong field-grown Roses, Magnolia Grandiflora, Olea Fragrans, Azaleas, Pines, Spruces, Arbourvitæ in variety, Hydrangeas, and a fine stock of Shrubbery, Tuberoses, Dahlias, Gladioli, Bulbs, and many Novelties in greenhouse plants. In fact, we have the most carefully selected and most extensive stock of ornamental plants in North Carolina.

The Home Florist with price lists free to all.

JAMES M. LAMB,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 4t

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE.
JNO. G. MCNATT—For Sale
W. J. MCDONALD, JR.—Notice.
PEMBERTON'S BOOK AND MUSIC HOUSE—Easter Cards.
B. E. SEDBERRY & SON—Nothing Succeeds Like Success.
MISS EMMA RILEY, MRS. JNO. HOLLINGSWORTH—Dress Making.

Little Flower Girls.

Four little girls—as sweet and lovely as the flowers which they so temptingly displayed—were on the streets the other day, offering beautiful *boutonnieres* for the purpose of raising money for the Easter Mite Fund.

Running Night and Day.

The Fayetteville Cotton Mills find it necessary to run night and day in order to keep up with, and be able to supply, the demands for their manufactured products. Our people will rejoice at this evidence of prosperity on the part of this industry.

First Nail Driven.

Work was commenced on the new bucket factory building Monday, and will be pushed to a speedy completion. About ten hands are at work on it at present, and the force will be increased as rapidly as the demands will require. The building will be a mammoth one and a potent factor in the upbuilding of Fayetteville and the surrounding country.

Evangelist Fife to Go to Laurinburg.

Evangelist Fife will commence a series of meetings in Laurinburg next Sunday, and will continue one week at least. Great interest, we understand, has been taken in the arrangements for this meeting by the people of that town, and many prayers will go up all over this land for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit on that town that many souls may be brought to Christ.

An Excellent Suggestion.

We have read with gratification—and we know that our readers will peruse it with like pleasure—the communication of "J. A. H.," setting forth the extensive and varied timber resources of this section, with the advantages of Fayetteville as a wood manufacturing centre, and suggesting a convention at this point of lumber-men and wood-workers. We think such a convention altogether feasible, and feel confident that it would have advantageous results.

A Little Fire.

The fire-bell sounded the alarm for the 6th ward just about 9 o'clock last Thursday morning, and in a few moments the engine had steamed up, and the fire and hose companies were ready for action. Their services were not required, however, the fire—which was on the roof of Mr. T. F. Lewis's residence on Hillsboro street—being extinguished by the members of the family and the timely help of neighbors. A good slice, though, of the shingling and rafters was burned.

Durham Gets Trinity College.

Great interest throughout North Carolina has centered on the action of the Trustees of Trinity College for the establishment of a permanent location for this great institution of learning. At a meeting of the Trustees held in Durham last week, a resolution was adopted, accepting Durham's offer of $94,000 in money and a $20,000 site, provided Raleigh would release the Trustees. Since that time the Raleigh people have agreed to grant the request for the permanent location of the College at Durham.

Death of Arthur R. Kinlaw.

Died at the residence of his father in this city on Tuesday afternoon, at about 3 o'clock, Mr. Arthur R. Kinlaw, aged about 20 years. At the time of his death Mr. Kinlaw was employed by Messrs. Royall & Borden as salesman at the branch house of their furniture business in this city. He was sober, industrious, upright and honorable in all his dealings, and universally esteemed by those who knew him most intimately. He was just ripening into manhood. The funeral ceremonies were conducted by Rev. C. W. Byrd on Wednesday afternoon, at the M. E. Church, of which deceased was a faithful member.

New Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Wade Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, No. 135, was organized at Wade, on the evening of 19th inst. by Grand Guardian, W. D. Gaster, assisted by members of Cross Creek and Lucknow lodges of Fayetteville and Dunn respectively, with the following officers for the ensuing year:

Alex. McNeill, N. G.
N. G. Wade, V. G.
D. A. McAllister, Rec. Secy.
T. D. Dougherty, Fin. Secy.
J. O. Williams, Treasurer.

This new brotherhood starts off with a membership of 21, and our best wishes attend it. The lodge is to be congratulated upon having made such a wise selection in its officers.

Obituary.

Thomas Wetmore Broadfoot departed this life on Saturday morning last, aged nearly forty years, having been born on the 3rd of April, 1850. He had been for a long time in failing health, but for years bore up and battled against his physical sufferings with an extraordinary vitality which retained its hold upon his clear, undimmed consciousness up to the hour of his death.

Mr. Broadfoot—like the large percentage of all those in this community who have chosen that as their vocation—was indebted for his training as a pharmacist to the skill and long experience of Dr. S. J. Hinsdale, one of the ablest and most expert analytical and practical chemists in the South; and, upon the latter's retirement, continued the long-established business with Mr. W. C. McDuffie, Jr., under the firm-name of T. W. Broadfoot & Co.

Remarkably reserved in disposition and retiring in habits, his excellent qualities of mind and heart were thoroughly known by a comparatively few chosen friends, but the general high esteem and appreciation of his character was manifested in the very large concourse of those who paid tribute to his memory in their attendance upon the funeral ceremonies, which took place on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, from St. John's Episcopal Church, Rev. Thos. Atkinson officiating.

New Buildings.

All the gratifying signs of steady progress and improvement continue to develop in our midst without pause or abatement, and the evidences of our substantial increase are found in the ceaseless work of the carpenter and mason.

Mr. Jno. P. Thomson is to have built a desirable residence on Dick street, occupying the valuable site of the former dwelling of Mr. A. H. Slocomb, which was destroyed by fire some years ago.

Mr. B. E. Sedberry has the architect's plans for the erection of a handsome house on Person street.

The foundations are being laid for Mr. Jno. R. McNeill's new residence on the old arsenal grounds on Haymount.

Mr. Duncan Campbell is putting up a nice building on the arsenal lot purchased from Capt. Jno. B. Broadfoot, just south of the residence of Mrs. U. C. Myrover.

Dr. W. C. McDuffie will build a residence in East Fayetteville—attractive and handsome his good taste and judgment warrant us in predicting beforehand.

Mr. Jas. D. McNeill will construct one or more comfortable and desirable buildings on Old street.

The District Convention.

The visit of Rev. W. J. Eardman to this city during the sessions of the district convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, to commence on the 29th of May, will afford our people an opportunity of enjoying an intellectual entertainment rarely vouchsafed. Mr. Eardman's Bible talks are exceptionally fine, both in the subject-matter and in the earnestness and impressiveness of their presentation and delivery; and, as the season then will perhaps allow some respite from business, we venture to suggest that a meeting or two in the Tabernacle, so that all may hear the gifted Scripture expounder, would be both pleasant and profitable.

The N. Y & W. Seamship Company.

The *Gulf Stream*, steamer of the New York and Wilmington Steamship Company, left New York City a few days ago with over three hundred packages of freight on board for Fayetteville and other points on the line of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway. So great has been the increase of business over this "water way" of late that the Company finds it necessary to put on another steamer, which is at present in course of construction, and which will be ready for service by the early summer. It is with pleasure that we note this evidence of prosperity in connection with so important a line of transportation.

Black River Shingle & Lumber Company.

The Black River Shingle & Lumber Co. was organized in this city Tuesday, with Capt. A. B. Williams, J. D. McNeill and Jno. D. Williams, Jr., incorporators. The capital stock was placed at $10,000, all of which is owned by the above-named gentlemen, with the privilege to increase the capital stock to $30,000. Fayetteville will be headquarters for the company. The machinery has been ordered of the Mecklenburg Iron Works, of which Mr. John Wilkes is manager, and will be shipped and placed in position at the earliest possible moment. Success to the new enterprise.

Public Debate.

THE OBSERVER acknowledges with thanks the receipt of an invitation to attend a public debate at the State University on the 29th inst., between the Philanthropic and Dialectic societies. The subject to be discussed is, "Has slavery in the United States been a greater curse than blessing?" The debaters are Sheppard Bryan, Craven, and F. H. Batchelor, of Wake, in the affirmative; with J. I. Foust, of Alamance, and V. S. Bryant, of Mecklenburg, in the negative. We hope to give our readers the speeches in full made on this interesting subject, notwithstanding many have long since formed and expressed their opinions on this subject.

Manchester Cotton Mills.

Negotiations have now been pending several days for the sale of the Manchester Cotton Mills to Mr. Walker, of Randleman, and a reporter of the OBSERVER was informed yesterday that the sale had been virtually made. We are glad to welcome such a gentleman as Mr. Walker in our midst, and wish for him a prosperous career.

Fayetteville Real Estate Agency.

Pursuant to announcement in the last issue of this paper, a meeting of the citizens of Fayetteville was held in the Town Hall on Thursday evening of last week, for the purpose of taking the necessary steps incident to issuing a new series of the Fayetteville Real Estate Agency, to be known as Class "B."

On motion of Mr. R. M. Nimocks, Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, of the OBSERVER, was called to the chair, and Mr. C. L. Taylor, the present efficient Secretary of the Ageney, was requested to act as secretary of the meeting.

By request, Dr. J. W. McNeill explained, in a few remarks, the object of the meeting, and submitted a report for the consideration of the subscribers to Class "B" for the government of said series. The report was freely discussed by those present; and, on motion, Col. Chas. Haigh, Maj. A. A. McKethan, Col. W. S. Cook, Dr. J. W. McNeill, and Messrs. R. M. Nimocks and C. L. Taylor were appointed a committee to draft such a constitution and by laws for the government of Class "B" as in their judgment is necessary—the said constitution and by-laws, however, not to conflict with those of Class "A," and to be submitted for ratification or rejection at a subsequent meeting.

On motion, the meeting then adjourned, to meet again on Monday night, and at 8 o'clock the meeting reassembled. The report of the committee was read and adopted, after which all the necessary arrangements were perfected for issuing the new series.

It may not be amiss to state here that Class "B" will be under the same official management as Class "A," which has enjoyed a career of prosperity unprecedented in the history of such institutions.

The new series starts with bright prospects for the future, and over 600 shares have been taken, of a par value of $50.00 each. The object of the institution is no less a blessing to the community than a worthy one, it being the systematic encouragement of manufacturing industries of every description in Fayetteville. The officers are men of high character, socially, financially and otherwise, in whom the people have perfect confidence.

Officers and Committees.

The following are the officers and different committees of the Young Men's Christian Association for the ensuing year:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Q. K. Nimocks, Dr. J. H. Marsh, Styles Sedberry, Henry Rankin, Dr. J. W. McNeill, B. E. Sedberry, J. M. Lamb, W. B. Malloy, G. P. McNeill, Jno. Underwood, General Secretary G. G. Harley.

OFFICERS.

President, Q. K. Nimocks; Vice-President, Dr. J. H. Marsh; Recording Secretary, Styles Sedberry; Treasurer, Henry Rankin; Assistant Treasurer, James H. McNeill; General Secretary, G. G. Harley.

COMMITTEES.

Executive.—B. E. Sedberry, Dr. J. W. McNeill, W. B. Malloy.

Ways and Means.—Dr. J. H. Marsh, Jno. Underwood, G. P. McNeill, Henry Rankin, J. M. Lamb.

Membership.—R. M. Prior, Dr. J. H. Marsh, Prior Johnson, G. G. Myrover, J. A. Steel, Walter McRae.

Invitation.—Styles Sedberry, Henry Rankin, Geo. Weisiger, Garland Spencer, Rob't McGeachy.

Reception.—Jonn Underwood, McKee Barclay, E. W. O'Hanlon, R. M. Prior, Geo. Weisiger, Frank Epps, W. S. Sheetz, E. F. Moore, Jr., Capt. R. A. Southerland, J. L. Prior, O. B. Wightman, Gordon Jessup, Edwin Sheetz, Rob't Cole.

Lectures and Entertainment.—G. P. McNeill, E. L. Pemberton, H. McD. Robinson, R. W. Bidgood, J. E. Garrett.

Employment and Boarding House.—F. W. Thornton, W. S. Cook, Walter Watson.

Visitation of Sick.—W. H. Holland, W. F. Leak, W. W. Cole, G. G. Myrover, E. M. Waddill.

Devotional.—Dr. J. W. McNeill, Prior Johnson, E. W. O'Hanlon.

Churches.—Rev. T. P. Barclay, Rev. W. B. Oliver, Rev. Thos. Atkinson, Rev. C. W. Byrd.

Work Among Boys.—Rev. C. W. Byrd, G. P. McNeill, W. W. Cole, W. B. Malloy.

Rooms and Library.—B. E. Sedberry, Jno. R. McNeill, F. W. Thornton.

There will be a business meeting tomorrow (Friday) night, and all members are desired to be present, as this is a special meeting.

The "Divine Afflatus" in North Carolina.

The prize offered some time ago by the publishing-house of Alfred Williams & Co., of Raleigh, N. C., has been awarded to Mrs. A. W. Curtis, of that city. Several of the poems were published last Sunday in the daily *Chronicle*, and we give below that submitted by Miss S. A. Tillinghast, of Fayetteville, now residing at Raleigh. We are willing to admit, in advance, that it is our partiality for "home folks," and that the committee were better judges than we of correct metre and the sentiment of true poetry—but, for all that, we consider Miss Tillinghast's offering the best of all those published.

THE DEATH OF ELEANOR DARE.

[*An Echo from Croatan.*]

Take the child, dear husband, I will rest;
I never more will take her on my breast
And scan the sea for coming of the sails
That never come. Alas! my poor heart quails
Sadly o'er this, our little one!
Two weary years I've looked for father's ships
With straining eyes and sadly parching lips—
The struggle's o'er, my precious father lies
Beneath the treacherous sea. In dreams I see
his eyes
Wild staring,—as if he saw our fate!
We came to this fair land a home to make;
Its very sunshine mocks me! For thy sake
I left on England's soil all that was dear
Except thyself. My faith is failing. Fear
For the future is more than I can bear.

My precious babe,—thy mother's life
Is lost to thee; she sinks before the strife
The future has in store;—the end
Is come. That God will raise a friend
For thee—is now thy mother's prayer.
Thy hand,—my husband, let me hold thy
hand—
And,—kiss me,—as I step upon the strand—
That leads me to the lovely promised land—
Where—we—in light—shall stand.

P. C. Enniss, of Raleigh, was here last week writing receipts for the *Daily State Chronicle*.

Personal Pencilings.

Miss Mattie Williams spent Sunday at Manchester with relatives and friends.

Mr. H. B. Peters, of Greensboro, was registered at the Hotel LaFayette last Tuesday.

We are glad to see Mr. A. Overbaugh out after confinement to his room for some days by sickness.

N. A. Sinclair, Esq., and wife are spending a few days with parents of the former in Robeson county.

Mr. W. J. McDiarmid and wife left on Monday evening last for a trip to New York and Philadelphia, to be absent several days.

Mr. A. J. Cook attended the marriage ceremony, yesterday at Warsaw, of Miss Faison, of that place, to Mr. J. W. Morrissey, of Little River Academy.

Mr. Albert Varndell and family, of New Jersey, have returned to their home, after spending several days most pleasantly with the family of Mr. Walter Watson.

Mr. F. W. Thornton left Saturday last for New York, to be absent several days, during which time he will complete his mammoth spring stock of dry goods.

Mr. Walter Leak, of the well known firm of Rose & Leak, has been on the Northern markets this week adding to their well-selected stock of dry goods, &c.

Mrs. W. S. Jessup, of Greensboro, arrived here on Tuesday afternoon on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Overbaugh.

Mrs. Theodore Martine and her daughter, Miss Mary, are making Fayetteville a visit—the guests of Mr. D. H. Ray, on Rowan street.

Mr. Steinhilper and family, of New Berne, have taken one of the new Thornton buildings on Maiden Lane; Fayetteville welcomes them among its new residents.

Glad to meet Col. Knox Livingston, of Bennettsville, in town last Saturday. The Colonel is one of the live, pushing, industrious men of his town and community.

We regret to know that Dr. T. D. Haigh is still suffering much with his eyes—the result of a recent attack of la grippe. Unfortunately, the pressure of professional engagements has doubtless prevented his allowing himself the rest requisite to speedy recovery.

Glad to see on our streets last week our old friend of former days, Mr. J. M. Mallard, representing the wide awake and enterprising firm of J. C. Stephenson & Taylor, of Wilmington; also "Bill" Wallace, another Duplin boy.

Capt. C. W. Kennedy, who has until quite recently filled the position of conductor on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad, has recently accepted a similar position on the Florida Central & Pensacola R. R., and left last Monday for his post of duty, leaving behind many warm friends to wish him well in his new field of labor.

Her many friends in this city will rejoice to learn that Mrs. Rosenthal, who has been residing for some time in New York, will soon return to Fayetteville with her family; Mr. Rosenthal is refitting his handsome residence on Rowan street for their reception.

Miss Sallie Bidgood, of the city of Richmond, Va., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bidgood, on Haymount, returned home on Tuesday morning by the Wilson Short-Cut R. R. She is a cherished favorite in this community, and her visits cannot be too frequent.

Col. K. M. Murchison, of New York, and Mr. Geo. W. Williams, of Wilmington, passed through the city yesterday afternoon on their way to Greensboro, to be present at the meeting of the Directors of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company, to be held there to-day.

Messrs. Jno. D. Williams, Jno. M. Rose and Geo. M. Rose went up to Greensboro yesterday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Directors of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company, which is to take place in that city to-day; also the meeting of the Directors of the North State Improvement Company—a full report of which will appear in our next issue.

After a pleasant sojourn of several weeks in this city, at the Hotel LaFayette, Mr. O. M. Witcher and family have returned to their home in Boston. Mr. Witcher is a gentleman of the most pleasing manners, homogeneous by nature, and made for himself a host of warm friends, as did also his estimable lady, who will hail their return to the "Capital City of the Upper Cape Fear," with great delight.

Items from Cedar Creek.

Reported for the Observer.]

The farmers in this section are making strokes preparing for farming. They are going to use home-made fertilizers this year, and it is to be hoped that they will find it much cheaper when harvesting time comes, or, rather, when they go to pay guano mortgages.

I think that the cotton crop will be smaller than last year. They are going to give their attention mostly to "hog and hominy."

The late snows have done great damage to the gardens.

Mr. A. B. Smith, of Durham, has been visiting friends and relatives at Cedar Creek.

Mr. Daniel Carter and Miss T. A. Carter were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. Mr. E. H. Jackson and Miss Ida Wheeler also had their death warrant read to them.

Stedman, on the Wilmington end of the C. F. & Y. V. R'y, has a bright outlook. The shingle maker, the farmer and turpentine maker find a good market for their work at Stedman. Mr. J. D. Sessoms is going to buy anything that is saleable.

March 24, 1890. D. C. D.

☞ Remember, ye whose taxes are due and unpaid, that in a week or ten days Sheriff Fisher will be obliged to advertise delinquent property for sale. This matter *must* be attended to.

ELEGANT STYLISH SPRING STOCK AT ROSENTHAL'S C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EASTER OFFERINGS.

THE LARCEST,
MOST COMPLETE
AND PERFECT
—LINE OF—
FINE DRESS GOODS
EVER EXHIBITED IN THIS SECTION.

The leading and accepted fabrics for Spring wear are

Mohairs and Henriettas

which we show in all colors with

Trimmings to Match.

Ladies are respectfully invited to examine this
UNSURPASSED COLLECTION OF
HIGH-CLASS NOVELTIES.
FRANK THORNTON.
March 20, 1890. 2t

Cost! Cost! Cost!

To close the business of the late partnership, and to make room for the addition of machinery, the large and well-assorted stock of

Buggies, Rockaways, &c.,

Now on Hand Must be Sold,

and will be offered for cost, and in many cases less. Parties in want of a

Good, Honest, Home-made VEHICLE,

at a low price, would do well to examine our stock before buying.
A. A. McKETHAN'S SON,
Successor to A. A. McKethan & Sons.
March 20, 1890. 1m

Early Spring Goods.

—THE LADIES SAY THAT—
ROSE & LEAK'S
—NEW SPRING GOODS ARE—
"Exquisitely Lovely!"
Rose & Leak's Cashmere Ombre,
New and Stylish Dress Patterns
And Pretty Sateens
are worth going to see.
Ask for the New Style Dress Trimmings
At Rose & Leak's One Price Cash Store.
March 12, 1890. 3t

At the Cash Grocer's

You will find much to interest the housekeeper in the way of good, substantial supplies. As all will admit first-grade goods are the cheapest in the end, we therefore ask your consideration, knowing whereof we speak.

G. MARTIN'S GILT EDGE BUTTER,
GALLEGO PATENT FLOUR,
E. C. HAZARD & CO.'S PLANTATION
JAVA COFFEE,
F. A. FERRIS & CO. AND OTHER
CHOICE BRANDS OF MEATS

are, with many other fine goods, to be found in our stock.

FINE CHEWING AND SMOKING TOBACCOS AND CIGARS.

All at very reasonable prices.
Don't forget to ask for the
Tea at 2 Pounds for One Dollar.
A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.
March 20, 1890.

Gentlemen, Save Money.

If you desire a suit made to order, examine my line of samples, comprising every thing new in

IMPORTED FABRICS.

The assortment is perfect, and prices low.

Before ordering your suit from a distance look at these goods, and be convinced that you can save from

$7.50 to $20.00,

—according to grade of goods selected.—

We guarantee a perfect fit, best trimmings and perfect workmanship.

Our Mr. J. Ed. Hawley,

at our Clothing Store, having finished his lessons of instructions under Prof. Heckheimer, is thoroughly equipped to take your measure, and will take pleasure in exhibiting his samples.

No Fit, No Pay.
FRANK THORNTON.
March 20, 1890. 2t

NOTICE!

The Celebrated Mohawk Black Stallion, "JESS," is now at the stables of G. A. Burns. Parties interested in the breeding of fine stock will find it to their advantage to call and see him. W. J. McDONALD, JR.
March 27, 1890. tf

FOR SALE.

McNatt's Improved Peterkin Cotton Seed. Yield, forty per cent. of lint by actual test. For prices address
JNO. G. McNATT,
McNatt's, N. C.
March 27, 1890. 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EASTER CARDS!

—A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF—
Prang's Easter Cards.
—JUST OPENED—
—AT—
Pemberton's Book and Music House.

CALL AND MAKE YOUR SELECTION EARLY.

March 27, 1890.

DRESS MAKING.

Cutting and Fitting by System. Work and Prices guaranteed. Satisfaction to patrons, whose favors we respectfully ask.
East end of Dobbin House—first floor.
Respectfully,
MISS EMMA RILEY.
MRS. JNO. HOLLINGSWORTH.
March 27, 1890 1t

WILMINGTON ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOR,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Wholesale Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries. Correspondence solicited. Samples on application.
march 20. 1y

D. L. GORE,
NOS. 120, 122 AND 124 NORTH WATER STREET,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Wholesalesale Grocer and Commission Merchant. Bottom prices to the trade. Consignments of Naval Stores, Cotton, Eggs, Chickens and other produce solicited. march 20—1y

JOHN J. HEDRICK,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—
Dealer in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishing Goods. march 20—1y

WOODY & CURRIE.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Commission Merchants. Groceries, Provisions and Farm Supplies at Bottom Prices.
march 20. tf

WORTH & WORTH,
WILMINGTON, N. C.,
Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.
Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.
Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

R. W. HICKS,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Bacon, Lard, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Canned Goods, Canned Goods, Cakes, Crackers, Tobacco, Snuff, Segars, Cheroots, Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue, Bunga, Hay, Corn, Oats, Meal, Grits, Baking Powders, Butter, Cheese, Candy, Starch, Salt, Hams, Vinegar, Shot, Powder, Caps, Buckets, Brooms, Twine, Peanuts, Nutmegs, Spices, Ladies' Favorite Flour. March 13, 1890—1y

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers.
Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of
Patent Bottom Tinware.
Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.
WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

ROSE & LEAK
are the sole agents in Fayetteville, N. C., for the
W. L. Douglas Celebrated Shoes.

These Shoes are the most widely *known* and and most generally *worn* Shoe in the U. S.

Prices range from $2.00 to $5.00.

Douglas $3.00 Shoe for men, is a beauty.

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All these Shoes are warranted and never fail to give satisfaction.

As ROSE & LEAK intend to handle Douglas Shoes in the future to the exclusion of several brands they have been selling, (such as Hannans, Kripperdorfs and Zieglers) they offer *great bargains* in these makes to close out stock in hand.

Especial attention is paid to the Shoe trade and only reliable shoes will be regularly dealt in at

ROSE & LEAK'S
ONE PRICE CASH STORE.
March 13, 1890. 3t

C. H. LEGG & CO.,

Livery, Sale, Feed and Exchange Stables,

Nice new Turn-outs, new Buggies, new Carriages, new Teams. Carriages always at every Train. Drummers sent in the country at reasonable rates. Special attention given to BOARDING HORSES, doctoring horses, training fast horses or breaking horses, colts, &c.

Give us a trial and we will give satisfaction or take no pay. Remember that our C. H. Legg will be on hand all the time and ready to attend to business, and all business of the stables will be under his special supervision.

Horses, Mules, Buggies and Harness always on hand and for sale.
C. H. LEGG & CO.
Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

THE VALE OF TEARS.

The vale of tears
Is old in years,
And old in poet tale and story,
But those who dwell
Within its spell
Are youthful still as well as hoary.

Wee prattlers come
With sorrow dumb—
Heart-heavy with their childish longing—
And lovers, too,
In fond adieu,
To join the hosts are daily thronging.

Ah, grief sublime!
Oh, woful time
When loving hearts the tie must sever!
With faith undone
As sinks the sun,
Their hopes are sunk in tears forever.

Sweet mothers through
The mist I view,
Their prayers with sobs in anguish blending,
And fathers strong,
Their hearts so wrung,
Low o'er their loved and lost are bending.

And gray-haired ones,
As speed the sons,
Come tottering with their load of sorrow
To these confines,
And 'mid the vines
Weep on the shoulder of the morrow.

Ah, refuge sweet
For hearts that beat
With too much love and tender feeling!
Sweet tear-wet eyes,
Like stars from skies
Of sympathy your light is stealing.

Anon, anon,
Life will be done,
And we who weep to-day, forever,
Will sweetly sleep
In lodgings deep,
With tears and griefs to greet us never.

—*Kirk La Shelle.*

Sprouting Sweet Potatoes.

W. F. Massey in N. C. Bulletin.]

A large grower of sweet potatoes has his beds flued, with a hot-air chamber built over the flues. A fire of pine wood kept burning gives bottom heat to the beds. The idea would be a good one if there was a frame over the beds to retain the heat, but beds thus heated, exposed to the open air, must radiate heat very rapidly, and the effort to warm "all out-doors" must be very wasteful of fuel and expensive in the long run. In this latitude a frame covered with glass sashes is all-sufficient for this purpose, and is in the end much less expensive than flued beds, which are a continual bill of costs for fuel and attendance. The owner of these flued beds is of the opinion that he could not force the plants early enough without the fire heat, but with the glass cover in addition he could get them at any time, and keep them secure. But with the glass above, it would be easy enough to get the plants late in April, which is as early as they should be set in open ground anyhow. These sashes are now so cheap that they can be easily made to pay their cost the first season, and, if cared for, will last for many years. In answer to a correspondent last month, I gave the address of a Norfolk firm who furnished the sashes. I have found since that the North Carolina Car Company make these sashes at lower prices than the Norfolk manufacturers, and they are now offering them, already glazed, at from $1.50 to $1.75 each, and unglazed at from 60 to 75 cents each.

Tomatoes.

Tomatoes may be sown in hot-beds in early spring, or the seed may be sown in shallow boxes, and placed in a window, where one does not wish the trouble of preparing a hot-bed. Transplant to the open ground after all danger of frost is past, setting the plants four feet apart each way. Some support should be provided for the vines to keep the fruit from touching the ground—brush, hay, pine-straw or anything of the sort will answer the purpose—or frames may be used, though, if fastened to single stakes, the vines are apt to grow up spindling, with inferior yield.

Fruit may be had several weeks earlier than usual by sowing the seed well in advance, and transplanting into small pots; when these become well-filled with roots shift the plants to pots of larger size, and transplant to open ground when the weather is warm and settled, shading them from the sun for a day or two. If the roots are not disturbed in removal from the pots the plants will suffer no check, but grow right on.

Garden Notes.

A light, dry soil, not over-rich, suits the green pea. Sow as early as the ground can be worked, and every two weeks up to 1st of June for a succession. Sow in rows six feet apart, an inch apart in the row, and eight inches deep. Hoe often.

A rich, heavy loam, with clay subsoil and good drainage, is needed for the cultivation of cabbages. Transplant in the spring as soon as the ground can be worked, setting the plants two feet apart each way.

Peas and Oats.

Dixie Farmer.]

Peas and oats, mixed in the proportion of two bushels of the former to two and a half bushels of the latter, make an exceedingly valuable green fodder or a cured grain and forage crop. There is one difficulty about covering these grains, either together or singly, working with the common harrow, which is that the seed will not stay covered, and cannot be covered to an even depth.

Spanish Peanuts.

Daniel Shaw in N. C. Bulletin.]

Plant in May in rows three feet apart, dropping one pea to hills twelve inches apart. As soon as the peas are up work with a cotton plow; in eight or ten days plow again, throwing dirt to the vines with a wing on the plow at each plowing. Keep the dirt up to the plants until laid by. Plant Spanish peanuts and chufas, and in the fall you will have meat to eat and to sell.

Valuable Information.

For the third time little Tommy Figg had asked his father what was the cause of the Desert of Sahara.

Finally the old man laid down his paper, and answered: "I reckon it was formed when the Israelites lost their sand. And if you don't stop asking so many questions I'll see that your mother puts you to bed before I get home hereafter."

"But, pa, how can you see her put me to bed if she puts me to bed before you get home?"

And that question was Tommy's last—for that evening.

A Kleptomaniac.

Mr. Crimsonbeak—You know Swipes?

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Yes; what's the matter with him?

"He's troubled with kleptomania."

"You don't say so! Poor fellow! He ought to take something for it."

"That's exactly the trouble. He takes too much."

FACTS FOR THE SICK!

Letter From an Eminent Divine In Regard to the Best Medicine in the World. Read.

WONDERFUL CURES.

ATLANTA, GA., January 2, 1890.

Six months ago, at the request of a friend who was interested in the sale of King's Royal Germetuer, I made a written statement of the benefits I had received from the use of that medicine. In that statement I expressed the belief that it would cure me entirely of Catarrh. Within the last two months I have received letters from every quarter of the nation calling on me for further information in regard to my health. It has been impossible for me to write privately to each person who has made this request, and I am therefore under the necessity of making another public statement.

I am free from Catarrh. I believe that I could get a certificate to this effect from any competent physician. I have used no medicine within the last six months except King's Royal Germetuer. My health is better than it has been in thirty years. I am in possession of information which warrants me in saying that the relief which I have experienced from the use of the medicine is not more certain and radical than that which it has brought to hundreds of persons in Georgia and other States.

I feel it to be my duty to say, also, that the effects of this remedy upon my wife have been even more signal and wonderful. She has been almost a life-long invalid from Nervous Headache, Neuralgia and Rheumatism. In a period of thirty years she has scarcely had a day's exemption from pain. She has been using Germetuer about two months. A more complete transformation I have never witnessed. Every symptom of disease has disappeared. She appears to be twenty years younger, and is as happy and playful as a healthy child. We have persuaded many of our friends to take the medicine, and the testimony of all of them is that it is a great remedy.

J. B. HAWTHORNE,
Pastor First Baptist Church.

Royal Germetuer builds up from the first dose, the patient quickly feeling its invigorating and health-giving influence. It increases the appetite, aids digestion, clears the complexion, regulates the liver, kidneys, etc., and speedily brings bloom to the cheek, strength to the body and joy to the heart. For weak and debilitated females it is without a rival or a peer.

If you are suffering with disease and fail of a cure, send stamp for printed matter, certificates, etc.

For sale by the Atlantic Germetuer Company, 14 N. Broad St., Atlanta, Ga., and by druggists. Price reduced from $2.50 to $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which makes one gallon of medicine as per directions accompanying each bottle. Can be sent by express C. O. D. if your druggist cannot supply you.

For sale by A. J. COOK & CO.,
Market Square, Fayetteville, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y



ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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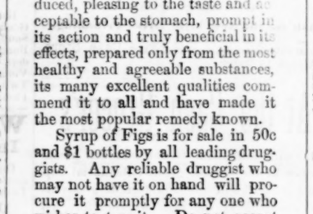


FROM THE CHRISTIAN ADVOATCE.

Mr. A. E. Hawkes has gained a national reputation as a practical optician, and his celebrated spectacles and spring eye-glasses are known throughout the United States. We are writing this article with a pair of his new crystalized lenses, and they seem to us as transparent as light itself; and with them the finest print is as clear as in youth.—*Editor Christian Advocate.*

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Aug. 8, 1889. 1y

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } CUMBERLAND COUNTY. }

Superior Court—Before the Clerk.

D. K. Ray, Administrator of Caty Morrison, dec'd, *vs.* R. C. Lindsay, Sarah McColeman, if living, if not her heirs, to wit: John A. McColeman, Ann C. McColeman, non-residents.

Petition for Sale of Land for Partition.

The non-resident defendants, Sarah McColeman or her heirs, will hereby take notice that the plaintiff above-named has filed in this Court a petition to subject the lands of the late Caty Morrison, dec'd, to sale for the purpose of raising assets to liquidate the debts of the said Caty Morrison, dec'd. Said petition to be heard and considered on the first day of May, 1890, at the office of the undersigned in the town of Fayetteville, N. C., at which time and place you will appear and answer or demur to the said petition.

CHAS. G. CAIN,
march 18, 1890—6w] Clerk Superior Court.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } CUMBERLAND COUNTY. }

Superior Court—Before the Clerk.

James R. Carter, Adm'r of John C. Graddy, dec'd, *vs.* I. J. Carter, Caroline Carter, Caroline Perry, Wilmie Tindle, John O. Carter, Ida Carter, Maggie Carter, Annie Carter, Hepsy Quin.

Notice to Non-resident Defendant.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Hepsy Quin, one of the defendants above-named, is not a resident of North Carolina, and an order of publication having been issued by this Court, the said defendant, Hepsy Quin, or (if dead) her heirs, will take notice that a petition to subject the lands of John C. Graddy to sale to raise real estate assets for the payment of the debts of the estate of the said John C. Graddy, has been filed in this Court, of which you will take due notice. Said petition to be heard at this office on the first day of May, 1890, at 11 o'clock, at which time and place you will appear and answer or demur to said petition, or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

CHAS. G. CAIN,
march 18, 1890—6w] Clerk Superior Court.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY.

On Monday the 7th day of April, 1890, I will sell at the Court House door in the Town of Fayetteville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, a tract of land in Cumberland County containing about 28x253 feet, and bounded and described as follows: The same being about one-half of the lot and buildings in Fayetteville, N. C., now occupied as a dwelling by A. G. Thornton and including an equal part—about one-half—of said lot and building, used as a dwelling by the said A. G. Thornton, with the front entrance thereto. The land to be sold is 28 feet front on Lamon street, running with the same from the "Old State Arsenal" lot eastwardly with said street, thence through and including one half of the dwelling and land, about 253 feet to the back line of A. G. Thornton's lot, so as to include the N. W. half of said lot and dwelling, the same being the excess over the homestead of A. G. Thornton, as found by the appraisers, and as appears by their return, now on file, which may be seen at my office, to satisfy certain executions in my hands for collection against A. G. Thornton, in favor of C. P. Vanstory and H. L. McDuffie, Agent, and which have been levied on said land as the property of said A. G. Thornton.

H. C. FISHER, Sheriff.
March 5, 1890. 4t

Town Property for Sale.

BY ORDER OF COURT.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County made at January Term, 1890, in the case of the Bank of Fayetteville *vs.* D. Jones *et al.* I will, as commissioner appointed for that purpose, on Monday, the 7th day of April, 1890, at 12 M. at the Market House in Fayetteville, sell to the highest bidder for cash, four tracts of land situated in the northeastern part of Fayetteville, and fully described in a mortgage from D. Jones to R. M. Orrell *et als.*, and recorded in Register's office in Book B, No. 4, page 45, and referred to in the complaint in said action. One of these lots fronts on South street and has a house on it. The other lots lie near it, and one adjoins the residence of Capt. D. Jones. Any information in regard to the property will be given upon application to the undersigned.

HENRY L. COOK,
Feb'y 28, 1890—4w] Commissioner.

Executors' Notice.

Having this day qualified as executors of the last will and testament of James Carroll, notice is hereby given to all parties holding claims against said estate to present them for payment on or before February 28th, 1891; all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

HENRY L. COOK,
J. W. CARROLL,
Executors.
SUTTON & COOK, Attorneys.
Feb'y 28, 1890. 6w

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator *cum testamento annexo* of the estate of Daniel Black, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of February, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will come forward and settle the same.

JOHN BLACK,
Cum Testamento Annexo.
J. G. SHAW, Attorney.
Feb'y 25, 1890. 6w

Last Call for Taxes.

All land and property on which the tax is not paid by April 1st, 1890, will be advertised to be sold on Monday, May 5, 1890. And all land and property sold for taxes May 7th, 1889, either by myself or by the administrator of Neill McQueen, late Sheriff, remaining unredeemed on May 7th, 1890, will be conveyed to purchasers as the law directs.

H. C. FISHER, Sheriff
of Cumberland County.
March 6, 1890. tf

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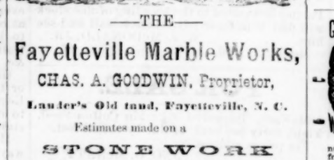
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It is a well-known fact that all dealers in Grain are compelled by the commercial law of the times to pay

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for their supplies before they can get them, however much such dealers may be worth, or however

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We have decided therefore to adopt the same rule in selling that we have to abide by in buying. In our case, this should always have been the rule. The unbusiness-like methods of others being our only excuse for wrong-doing, we trust that all of our patrons will "catch on" to the "new departure," and show their appreciation of our endeavors in the past to please them, by continuing to give us their patronage.

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Respectfully,

J. D. McNEILL & CO.,
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Sept. 5, 1889. tf

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At 3 o'clock P. M.

FANITA	Thursday,	March 13
BENEFACTOR	Saturday,	March 15
GULF STREAM	Saturday,	March 22
FANITA	Wednesday,	March 26
BENEFACTOR	Saturday,	March 29

FROM WILMINGTON.

FANITA	Wednesday,	March 19
BENEFACTOR	Friday,	March 21
GULF STREAM	Friday,	March 28
FANITA	Tuesday,	April 1
BENEFACTOR	Friday,	April 4

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NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Wilmington,	9:40 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:15 p m		
Leave Sanford,	3:53 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	6:40 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	7:10 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	8:43 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	10:45 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		8:20 a m	
Arrive Maxton,		9:53 a m	
Leave Maxton,		9:45 a m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		11:45 a m	
Leave Millboro,			7:25 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			9:09 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:10 a m
Arrive Madison,			12:37 p m

SOUTH BOUND

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Mt. Airy,	5:45 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	9:15 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	9:50 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:23 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:10 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:40 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	6:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:30 p m	
Arrive Maxton,		5:20 p m	
Leave Maxton,		5:30 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		6:45 p m	
Leave Madison,			1:40 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			4:00 p m
Leave Greensboro			4:40 p m
Arrive Millboro,			6:55 p m

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Sept. 6, 1889.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 40 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 55 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*2 55 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	
Arrive Wilson	2 27 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	*2 37 "	
Arrive Selma	3 40 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	6 00 "	
Leave Goldsboro	3 20 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 16 "	
Leave Magnolia	4 30 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	6 00 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 78, Daily.	No. 14, Daily.
Leave Wilmington	9 00 A. M.	12 05 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	10 43 "	1 24 "
Leave Warsaw	10 57 "	
Arrive Goldsboro	11 52 "	2 25 A. M.
Leave Fayetteville	*8 40 A. M.	
Arrive Selma	11 09 "	
Arrive Wilson	12 10 P. M.	
Leave Wilson	12 45 P. M.	3 02 A. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 20 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*3 55 "	
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	
Arrive Weldon	2 40 P. M.	4 30 A. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Read leaves Halifax 2:30 P M, arrives Scotland Neck at 4:00 P M. Riverton 6:50 P M. Returning, leaves Riverton 7:50 A M, Scotland Neck at 10:10 A M, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 5:05 P M, Sunday 3:17 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 7:20 P M, 4:55 P M. Returning, leaves Williamston, N C, Daily except Sunday, 7:10 A M, Sunday 9:50 A M, Arrive Tarboro N C, 9:15 A M, 11:30 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. orthbound is No 50. "Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

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Change of Schedule.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 41. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 51. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 3. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Wilm'g'n	2.20 p. m.	7.30 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	6.45 p. m.	2.00 a. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.39 p. m.	3.15 a. m.	
A've Char'lot'e	9.35 p. m.	6.10 a. m.	
L've Char'lot'e			4.15 p. m.
L've Lincoln'n			5.51 p. m.
L've Shelby			6.57 p. m.
Ar've Ruth'f'n			8.20 p. m.

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 38. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 54. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 6. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Ruth'f'n			8.00 a. m.
L've Shelby			9.22 a. m.
L've Lincoln'n			10.39 a. m.
Ar've Charlte			12.05 p. m.
L've Charlo'te	5.15 a. m.	8.30 p. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.08 a. m.	11.18 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	8.20 a. m.	1.45 a. m.	
Ar've Wil'm'n	12.30 p. m.	7.45 a. m.	

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